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# SCOTLAND!

AS SCOTTISH, SOLID AND DEPENDABLE

AS THE FORTH BRIDGE, SHAUN SIMPSON

EXPECTS HIS RACE CAREER TO CONTINUE

FOR A GOOD FEW YEARS YET AND IT'S NOT

INCONCEIVABLE TO THINK THAT THE BEST

IS YET TO COME...

Words by **Adam Wheeler** Photos by **Ray Archer**













Pela Renet

# RIDER OF THE YEAR!

WHY WE RECKON THAT THREE-TIME WORLD  
CHAMPION PELA RENET WAS THE GLOBE'S  
#1 OFF-ROAD RACER IN 2014...

Words and photos by **Future7Media**


**T**here isn't exactly a Rider of the Year award handed out but if there was then without question Pela Renet would be the guy to win. It's almost an understatement to say that 2014 has been perfect for the Frenchman. It was a year where he could pretty much do no wrong.

Winning back his Enduro 2 World Championship, while unofficially taking the overall scratch, guiding

France to victory in the International Six Days Enduro and winning the race outright, Renet also secured his second perfect season in the French Enduro Championship before capping things off with his fourth consecutive victory at the Gotland Grand National in Sweden. It seemed that no matter where he lined up Renet was favourite to win.

With his hectic schedule finally done, it was time to sit Renet down for a cup of coffee and evaluate his last 12 months...





# OUT

# OF THE

# BLUE!



JEREMY MARTIN EXPLAINS HOW HE DEVASTATED  
THE LUCAS OIL AMA PRO NATIONAL 250 MOTOCROSS  
CHAMPIONSHIP IN ONE OF THE MOST SURPRISING BUT  
DESERVED TITLE CAMPAIGNS IN RECENT MEMORY...

Words by **Adam Wheeler** Photos by **Ray Archer** and **Frank Hoppen**









# ADAM STERRY: MY WAY!

HOW THE WILVO FORKRENT KTM RACER'S JOURNEY TO THE TOP IS A LITTLE BIT DIFFERENT TO THE NORM...

Words by **Max Hind** Photos by **Max Hind and Bavo Swijgers**

In the sport of motocross we often see child prodigies – the wonder kids and the young phenoms that dominate the amateur game and then go on to be majorly successful in the pro ranks. Ricky Carmichael, James Stewart, Ken Roczen and Adam Cianciarulo are just a few examples of racers that were proclaimed to be the real deal at a very young age – and in most cases rightly freaking so although maybe AC still has to prove himself a little...

It is less common however to come across a rider that may have been overshadowed or maybe even outshined in the youth ranks but nevertheless goes on to become a great champion. Ryan Dungey and Ryan Villopoto are two guys that have followed this type of career path.

Even rarer still is a rider that is a combination of the above – a racer that has won all there is to win in the amateur ranks but is still, almost

unjustly, overlooked, overshadowed and underestimated as they make the progression through the classes. Adam Sterry is that guy.

The recently turned 18 year old has had a phenomenal season aboard his Wilvo Forkrent KTM with moto wins in both the Maxxis MX2 and EMX250 championships. Although Adam enjoyed a prosperous and decorated amateur career it's only now that he's really being considered as a legitimate hope for the UK to claim a FIM gold medal in the not too distant future!

With a few very interesting offers laid on the table for next season, Adam has decided to stick with the team that has helped him reach where he is today for another two years, setting up a solid path to full time GP racing. But why has it taken this long for us to realise just how good the #811 is? Well, read on as we are about to find out...











# THE GOSPEL

FORGET STEFAN EVERTS, JEFFREY HERLINGS, ANTONIO CAIROLI  
OR EVEN RICKY CARMICHAEL — ONE MAN HAS ARGUABLY HAD A  
BIGGER INFLUENCE ON THE GLOBAL MX SCENE THAN THEM ALL.  
AND HE'S BRITISH. AND HE'S FROM CUMBRIA, EH...

Words by Sean Lawless Photos by Nuno Laranjeira/Brown family archives







# DUST UP!

TEAM FRANCE COMES OUT ON TOP AS THE  
89TH ISDE IN ARGENTINA PROVES WAY TOO  
TOUGH FOR THE MASSES...

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